

THE NEW PLAYS

"9 o'Clock Frolic"
Ziegfeld's Best.

BY CHARLES DARTON

There was so much beauty, femininity and grace, in the "Ziegfeld 9 o'Clock Frolic" on the roof of the New Amsterdam Theatre last night, and with it such a rush of novel features that the lavish entertainment was no less than a revelation.

The limit seemed to be reached. As a matter of fact, it was reached in one of Ben Ali Haggin's living pictures, "The Passing of Simonetta," exhibiting a nude woman. It really meant nothing more than indecency in the guise of art, but as the police saw nothing about it, Simonetta probably was allowed to pass. All there are traffic regulations in the air as well as outside our theatres. So as far as you like seems to be the order of the day. Some day some one may call a halt on this sort of thing, but in order to do it

there will have to be a radical change of administration. A later tableau, "Pastel," was charming, and after it came various characters who are part of French history, all gorgeously arrayed and suffering from an ill-timed, vulgar sense about plumbers who could not possibly have had anything to do with the romantic period. Beautiful maidens—some, perhaps a day or two past girlhood—walked out, pranced out, danced out, sang out, and were pushed out by a moving stage into the lap of the audience. As it were, so that their finer qualities could be appreciated by the mob. Well, yes, they were so good-looking that you were likely to strain your eyes looking at them. The only thing that could touch them, as the absurd saying goes, was Joseph Urban's sympathetic scenery. Urban in color is like Shaw in words, always going on brilliantly.

I liked also immensely a juggler called Jack Hanley. For years I have turned from jugglers as expert pests of vaudeville, but this fellow is both expert and humorous. Then, too, the Fairbanks Twins danced in daintily when their time or "turn" came. Anna Wheaton sang and danced to good effect. Oscar Shaw never lost his voice or his nerves; the Princess White Deer was always on her toes, and—well, this "9 o'Clock Frolic," lasting till nearly 12, will give you a good excuse for going to bed.

NEW BIBLE SOCIETY OFFICERS.
Dr. Talcott Williams, former head of the Columbia University School of Journalism, was elected to the Board of

Managers of the American Bible Society at its meeting on Feb. 2. P. Whitwell Wilson of London and Mrs. Helen Barrett Montgomery of Rochester were elected honorary life members. Mr. Wilson is New York correspondent of the London Daily News and author of several books, and belongs to the Bagster family of publishers of the Bagster Bible. Mrs. Montgomery is the author of "The Bible and Mission" and nearly 200,000 copies of which are now in circulation.

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Fourteenth Street ESTABLISHED 1827 West of Fifth Avenue

Wednesday and Thursday

FEBRUARY—A Month of Special Purchase Sales

Offerings which further illustrate Hearn's ability to save money for customers by means of special price-advantages gained through our cash-purchasing power.

Special Purchase Sales

Men's Fancy Silk Hosiery

1.47

Were \$2.07 to \$2.47

Various good-looking color combinations—black and white, black and green and black and brown. This is an exceptionally low price for such smart-looking hosiery.

Special Purchase Sales

Women's Mercerized Hosiery

.21

.45 quality

Seamed back—black and cordovan.

Special Purchase Sales

Infants' Silk and Merino Shirts

.94

Were \$1.35
Sizes to 1 year.

Special Purchase Sales

Radium Lace All-Overs

1.47

Were \$2.07

For tunics, blouses and dresses.

Special Purchase Sales

Flannels

36-inch width, 27-inch width,
Were .60 yd. Were .42 yd.

.33 Yd. .16 Yd.

Domestic bleached—heavy fleecy nap—fine quality—do not miss a chance like this.

Special Purchase Sales

All-Wool Velour

1.84 Yd.

Were \$5.38

(Would ordinarily cost much more)

Plain and silvertone finish—17 colors—smart Spring shades—a seasonable offering that will be quickly taken advantage of.

Special Purchase Sales

Handsome Trays

Hand painted porcelain bottoms. Fancy nickel sides.

Large Trays
Suitable for Fruit, Bread, Rolls, etc.

1.88

\$3.85 quality

These trays will add to the grace of any table—particularly delightful for buffet or tea wagon.

1.28

\$3.00 quality

These trays will add to the grace of any table—particularly delightful for buffet or tea wagon.

SUNDAY WORLD WANTS
WORK MONDAY WONDERS

Annual REMNANT SALE

(Mill Lengths)

Printed Voiles

.17 yd.

Dotted Voiles

.25 yd.

If sold from the piece prices would be .45 to .87 yd.

Output of a very large mill. Literally hundreds of styles—your choice will be nearly unlimited.

An entire section of our basement set aside for sale—so service will be fine.

Fabrics Are All High Class.

This is an event you must not miss. Come bright and early while selection is at its best.

THURSDAY

Housedress and Apron Day

Signs of Spring appears in the crisp, new housedresses and dainty aprons priced at special reductions to aid your Spring shopping.

Gingham Housedresses

Fitted and one-piece models, with collars of plain blue chambray or white novelty material. Sizes 36 to 44—

were \$5.94 to \$7.50. **2.94**

Extra Size Gingham Housedresses—striped or plaid—fitted and one-piece models—collars of white poplin—sizes 48 to 52—were \$5.94 to \$6.94. **3.88**

Nurses' Uniforms—white linen finished cambric—surgical sleeves, pocket in waist and skirt—convertible collar—same model comes in blue chambray and striped gingham—sizes 34 to 44—were \$5.00. **3.95**

Percale Bib and Lucille Aprons—striped or figured—some edged with rick-rack—were .97. **.68**

Special Purchase Sales

All-Linen Toweling

.45

Were .77

An unusually excellent opportunity. This toweling is extra heavy, with colored borders of red and blue.

Special Purchase Sales

Infants' Hand Crocheted Booties

.63

Were .97

Silk trimmed styles. Simpler styles—well made—were .77. **.54**

MORNING SPECIALS—To-Day & To-Morrow Until 1 P. M.

To prevent dealers buying, quantities restricted. No Mail or Telephone Orders.

97 ct. Children's Bloomers. 44
Size 10 & 12 years—fine, light-colored, and chambray—white or colored. CHILDREN'S WEAR—2ND FLOOR.

\$1.97 and \$1.17 Women's Cotton Fleece Underwear. 71
Vests and drawers—various styles—popular and extra sizes. WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR—MAIN FLOOR.

48 ct. Ribbons. 35
White, black and colors—moiré and satin—also satin stripes—fine for washes or half-bows—bright and good. RIBBONS—MAIN FLOOR.

84 ct. Repasard. 33-inch. 85
Silk mixed—soft and lustrous—light and dark colors. DRESS SILKS—MAIN FLOOR.

24 ct. Men's Fine Combed Yarn Socks. 17
Double heel and toe—black, navy, dove and white—all sizes. MEN'S HOSIERY—MAIN FLOOR.

30 ct. Seersucker Gingham. 17
WASH GOODS—BASEMENT.

\$4.97 Fine Scrim Curtains. 88
Lace inserts and edges or deep hemstitched borders—white and ecru. CURTAINS—BASEMENT.

Feather Pillows. 25
Size 20x28 in.—was \$2.87—\$1.57
Size 22x28 in.—was \$3.23—\$1.93
Size 24x30 in.—was \$3.63—\$2.19
Size 26x30 in.—was \$3.97—\$2.31
FILLINGS—BASEMENT.

39 ct. Fine Quality Pillow Cases. 25
Size 16x36 inches—fine quality mullin—no dressing. BED MUSLINS—BASEMENT.

65 ct. Yard Wide Cheese Cloth. 84
Size 36 inches wide—bleached—absorbent. CHEESE CLOTH—BASEMENT.

\$1.58 Storm Serge. 84
41 and 42 inch width—garnet, brown, navy, navy and black—all sizes. DRESS WOOLINGS—MAIN FLOOR.

EXCEPTIONAL SALES CONTINUED

Women's Coats. 18.75

Quilted Silk Vests. 1.16

Trimmed Hats. 3.22

Drapery Velours. 2.88

Special Purchase Sale

Children's Muslin Drawers

.44

Were .96

Excellent quality soft-finish muslin—tucks and ruffle of dainty embroidery—sizes 1 to 14 years.

Special Purchase Sales

Boys' Rompers

1.00

Were \$1.48

Strongly made rompers of good quality—Peggy cloth in solid colors or stripes—Beach or closed knee—braided trimming on self or white pique collar.

Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Special Purchase Sales

Lace Vestees, Collars and Sets

.71

Were .94

Special Purchase Sales

Girls' Tub Dresses

1.47

Were \$1.94

Many styles in gingham, crash and chambray—pretty contrasting trimmings—sizes 7 to 14 years.

Special Purchase Sales

Little Tots' Serge Dresses

Trimmed with contrasting trimming of silk and braid—sizes 2 to 6 years—were \$4.97 to \$3.97. **2.97**

Special Purchase Sales

Sheffield Plate Fruit Bowls and Bread Trays.

3.85

Were \$5.95

Special Purchase Sales

Silk Lingerie

2.97

Were \$4.28

Envelope Chemises—pure silk crepe de chine—yokes of lace and Georgette or tailored models with shirring and hemstitching.

Bloomers—fine satin and crepe de chine—wide tucks with hemstitching or garter knee with fancy hemstitched design.

Nightdresses—Japanese silk with yoke of deep pointed lace or tailored style stitched with blue.

Camisoles—lustrous satin or pure silk crepe de chine—beautifully trimmed with wide or narrow Val. lace, or hemstitched tailored models.

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AMUSEMENTS.

WINTER GARDEN. 815 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. The PASSING SHOW OF 1921.

CENTRAL THEATRE. 815 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. F. RAY COMSTOCK & MORRIS GIBBY Present. DELYSIA. The London & Paris Fashion Show. "AFGAR". The latest New York hit.

ROCK AMUSEMENTS. 815 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. MISS LULU BETT. DELPORT. ENTER MADAME. FULTON. 4000 SEAS & SUN OFFICES.

ELTING. 404 West 42nd St. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. LADIES NIGHT.

GREENWICH VILLAGE. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. SHUBERT. Greenwich Village Follies.

ASTOR THEATRE. 110 West 42nd St. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. KENNEDY. HERSELF. CORNERED.

39TH ST. THEATRE. 39th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. SARSON AND BEN-AMI. DELILAH.

CASINO. 30th Broadway. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. SIMBALTIS. HONEYDEW.

HOLBROOK BLINK. THE BAD MAN. COMEDY. "THE MIRROR".

FRAZEE. 404 West 42nd St. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. MARGARET ANGLIN. OF BRONZE.

B.S. BROADWAY. 41st St. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. EDIE FOY & YOUNGER. DOROTHY DALTON. "A Romantic Adventure".

PARAMOUNT PICTURES. 36th St. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. RIVOLI. "The Making of the Mummy".

RIALTO. 36th St. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. CRITERION. "THE INSIDE OF THE CUP".

63RD ST. THEATRE. 63rd St. & Central Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. MARY SHAW. THE IRISH PLAYERS CO.

BRINDLEY MEMORIAL. 63rd St. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. LEXINGTON. THEATRE.

EVER. 63rd St. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. RUSSIAN ISBA. BORDOWSKY.

CAPITOL. BROADWAY AT 51ST ST. JUST OUT OF COLLEGE.

MARK STRAND. 1030 A. M. CHARLIE CHAPLIN. "THE KID".

International. 1030 A. M. CHARLIE CHAPLIN. "THE KID".

GOOD TIMES. 1030 A. M. CHARLIE CHAPLIN. "THE KID".

FRANCES STARR. "One".

CONCERTS AND MUSIC.

MANHATTAN CHICAGO OPERA CO.

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CENTURY PROMENADE. 1000 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. ABOVE CENTURY THEATRE. 1000 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. NIGHTLY MINUTELY LAUNDERS. 1000 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. BOOTH. 1000 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. GEORGE ARLISS. IN THE GREEN GODDESS.

3RD THEATRE. 1000 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. LYRIC. 1000 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. NORA BAYES. "THE NAME".

PLAYHOUSE. 1000 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. MARY NASH. "THE NAME".

GRACE GEORGE. 1000 Madison Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE NAME".

44TH ST. THEATRE. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "WAY DOWN EAST".

MAXINE ELLIOTT. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "SPANISH LOVE".

MOROSCO. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE BAT".

THE 1st Year. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

BROADHURST. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "OVER THE HILL".

SELWYN THEATRES. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

APOLLO. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

WILLIAM FAVERHAM. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

SELWYN. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

FRANK TINNEY. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

TIMES SQ. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

FLORENCE. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

REED. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

EMPIRE. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

CHATTERTON. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

NEW AMSTERDAM. 44th St. & W. 4th Ave. Thurs. Mat. 2.15. "THE 1st Year".

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